**Profit in** NMDC **during 2006-07**

926. SHRI MATI N. P. DURGA: Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that NMDC has got Rs. 2,300 crores profit in 2006-07;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the dividend paid to Government;

(c) whether it is also a fact that his Ministry has recommended to give NMDC a Navratna status; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (DR. AKHILESH DAS): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The details of profit earned and dividend paid to the Government by NMDC during the year 2006-07 is given below:

*(Rs. in crore)*

| SI. No. | Particulars | 200647 |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Profit after Tax | 232021 |
| 2. | Dividend to Government of India | 457.67 |

(c) and (d) The Government has conferred Navratna status to NMDC Ltd. on 23rd January, 2008.

**Employees working in PSUs**

927. SHRI PRASANTA CHATTERJEE:
SHRI TAPAN KUMAR SEN:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) the number of permanent employees working in PSUs under the administrative control of his Ministry as on 31st March, 2007, unit-wise; and

(b) the number of contract/casual/contingency workers working in these units as on 31st March, 2007?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (DR. AKHILESH DAS): (a) and (b) A Statement is given below.

***Statement***

*Details of employees working in PSUs*

| Name of the unit | Number of permanent employees (unit-wise) as on 31.03.2007 | Number of contract/casual/contingency workers as on 31.3.2007 |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Steel Authority of India **Ltd** (SAIL) | | |
| Bhilai Steel Plant | 34976 | 6394 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 |
|---|---|---|
| Durgapur Steel Plant | 15147 | 3507 |
| Rourkela Steel Plant | 21680 | 4523 |
| Bokaro Steel Plant | 30377 | 2091 |
| IISCO Steel Plant | 13964 | 3833 |
| Alloy Steel Plant | 2545 | 266 |
| Salem Steel Plant | 1336 | 203 |
| Visvesvarya Iron and Steel Ltd. | 2525 | 654 |
| Raw Material Division | 5494 | 4478 |
| Central Coal Supply Organization | 211 | 16 |
| Central Marketing Organization | 2703 | 1539 |
| Research and Development Centre for Iron and Steel | **741** | 198 |
| Centre for Engg. and Technology | 335 | 43 |
| Management Training Institute | 92 | 9 |
| Corporate Office | 747 | 0 |
| Growth Division, Kolkata | 27 | 11 |
| Environment Management Division | 43 | 8 |
| SAIL Safety Organization (SSO) | 26 | 0 |
| TOTAL: | 132973 | 27773 |
| **Ferro Scrap Nigam Limited (FSNL)** | | |
| Rourkela | 164 | — |
| Burnpur | 81 | — |
| Bhilai | 233 | 30 |
| Bokaro | 156 | — |
| Vizag | 200 | — |
| Durgapur | 147 | — |
| Dolvi | 92. | 10 |
| Duburi | 49 | 8 |
| Raigarh | 35 | 7 |
| TOTAL: | 1157 | 55 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 |
|---|---|---|
| **Manganese ore (india) Ltd. (MOIL)** | | |
| Balaghat | 2039 | — |
| Beldongri | 264 | — |
| Chikla | 1056 | — |
| Dongri Buzurg | 718 | — |
| Gumgaon | 390 | — |
| Kandri | 512 | — |
| Munsar | 238 | — |
| Sitapatore | 6 | — |
| Tirodi | 702 | — |
| Ukwa | 766 | — |
| Head Office | 203 | — |
| TOTAL: | 6894 | — |
| **Kudremukh Iron Ore Company Ltd. (KIOCL)** | | |
| Kudremukh | 933 | 217 |
| Mangalore | 521 | 351 |
| Bangalore | 128 | 74 |
| TOTAL: | 1582 | 642 |
| **Sponge Iron India Limited (SI1L)** | | |
| Paloncha | 306 | 35 |
| **Mecon Ltd.** | | |
| **Ranchi (HQ)** | 1110 | 178 |
| Angul | 5 | 7 |
| Lagos | 1 | — |
| Bhilai | 28 | 6 |
| Bhubaneswar | 3 | 5 |
| Burnpur | 4 | 1 |
| Bokaro | 26 | 11 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 |
|---|---|---|
| Duburi | 4 | 2 |
| Durgapur | 9 | |
| Damanjodi | 4 | 5 |
| Rourkela | 12 | 6 |
| Kolkata | 20 | 21 |
| Vizag | 22 | 3 |
| Adipur | 1 | — |
| Jaipur | 1 | — |
| Bangalore | 197 | 62 |
| Karwar Site | 11 | |
| Kirandul | 1 | — |
| Coachin | 2 | — |
| Tuticorin | 3 | — |
| Chennai | 7 | — |
| Neyveli Site | 8 | 2 |
| SISCOLSite | 1 | — |
| Mundra | 1 | — |
| Quilon | 6 | — |
| Delhi | 119 | 23 |
| Agra | 1 | — |
| Ajmer | 1 | — |
| Secundrabad | 1 | — |
| Jallandhar | 2 | — |
| Kanpur(COD) | 4 | — |
| Pune | 2 | — |
| Palanpur | 4 | — |
| Mumbai | 10 | 332 |
| GRAND | 1631 | |

| 1 | 2 | 3 |
|---|---|---|
| Hindustan Steel Works Construction Ltd. | | |
| Head Office (Kolkata) | 31 | — |
| Bokaro | 802 | — |
| Bhilai | 345 | — |
| Durgapur | 16 | — |
| Rourkela | 27 | — |
| Vizag | 103 | — |
| Duburi | 38 | — |
| Kolkata Project | 14 | — |
| Bhubaneswar | 6 | — |
| Talcher | 2 | — |
| Jharkhand | 30 | — |
| Bihar | 35 | — |
| Delhi | 15 | — |
| Northern Region | 34 | — |
| Lucknow | 5 | — |
| Nagpur | 20 | — |
| Sipat | 21 | — |
| Karnataka | 18 | — |
| Tamil Nadu | 13 | — |
| Andhra Pradesh | 12 | — |
| Tripura | 25 | — |
| TOTAL: | 1612 | — |
| Bharat **Refractories Ltd.** | | |
| Bhandaridah Refractories Plant (B&RP) | 365 | 51 |
| Bhilai Refractories Plant (BRP) | 671 | — |
| Ranchi Road Refractories | 183 | — |

| 1 | 2 | 3 |
|---|---|---|
| Plant (RRRP) | | |
| IFICO Refractories | 334 | 113 |
| Plant (IFICORP) | | |
| Head Office | 126 | — |
| TOTAL: | 1679 | 164 |
| MSTCLtd | | |
| Head Office | 127 | — |
| Eastern Region Office | 31 | — ' |
| Northern Region Office | 32 | — |
| Western Region Office | 27 | — |
| Southern Region Office | 19 | 1 |
| Bangalore | 21 | — |
| Vizag | 19 | — |
| Bhopal | 3 | — |
| Haldia | 2 | — |
| Vado | 12 | 2 |
| Hazira | 1 | — |
| Goa | 1 | — |
| TOTAL: | 295 | 3 |
| **Rashtrya IspatNigam Limited (RINL)** | | |
| Visakhapatnam | 15,857 | 9,763 |
| Jaggayyapeta & Madgaram | 318 | 50 |
| Mines | | |
| Liaison Offices | 50 | — |
| Marketing Offices | 176 | 362 |
| TOTAL: | 16401 | 10,175 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 |
|---|---|---|
| **National Mineral Development Corporation (NMDC)** | | |
| Bailadila-14 | 1702 | **410** |
| Bailadila-5 | 1674 | 550 |
| Donimalai | 1253 | 310 |
| Panna | 342 | 75 |
| CWS | 67 | — |
| Head Office | 287 | 55 |
| R&D | 74 | 40 |
| Delhi | 10 | — |
| Mumbai | 5 | — |
| Kolkata | 10 | — |
| Chennai | 9 | — |
| Bangalore | 4 | — |
| Raipur | 30 | 30 |
| Bhubaneshwar | 6 | — |
| Vizag(R.O.) | 33 | 25 |
| S/P | 6 | — |
| UPFO | 3 | — |
| NISP | 54 | — |
| Arki | 1 | — |
| Bababudan | 1 | — |
| Lalapur | 10 | — |
| JKMDC | 1 | — |
| TOTAL: | 5582 | **1495** |

**Less expenditure by public and private sector on research and development**

928. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT: Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that public sector and private sector steel projects have been spending less than 1 per cent of turnover on research and development;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for small investment in R&D; and